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Purely Personal

The Town Crier

Miss Martha Stokes, who has been the guest of Mrs. Wagner, at the Lodge, Culpeper, Va., has returned to Washington.

Miss Ethel Lelzear has returned to Washington from Laurel, Md., where she spent a week with relatives.

Mrs. William Kusmaul recently visited her daughter, Mrs. John Thompson, at Frederick, Md.

Miss Louise Shealy has returned to the Capital after a visit of several days with Mrs. M. Frank Hutchinson, at Herndon, Va.

S. D. Taylor, of Washington, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDonald, in Leesburg, Va., recently.

Miss Minnie Timberlake has returned to her home in Charles Town, W. Va., after spending the winter months in Washington.

R. Preston Shealey, secretary of the Washington Credit Men's Association, is in New York on a brief business visit.

Everett C. Robinson has received an appointment as an expert clerk in the adjutant general's office in the War Department.

Harry Zehner, a copyist in the office of the Bureau of Ordnance, has been promoted and transferred to a clerkship in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

John K. McGreengan, employed in the Agricultural Department, has returned from a visit with relatives in Massachusetts.

Josephine Bedinger has been appointed a copyist in the Navy Department.

Philip Baldwin, who for some weeks has been visiting in Illinois, has returned to his home in Columbia road, near Thirtieth street.

BIRTH RECORD.

WHITE
Edna B. and Grace A. Waldecker, girl.
Henry and Isabella Walker, boy.
Harry C. and Victoria Townsend, boy.
Harry and Sophia Silverman, girl.
Charles L. and Harrie E. Smith, girl.
Peter C. and Dorothy V. Schneider, boy.
David J. and Annie O'Connell, girl.
Myer and Gussie Miller, girl.
Win and Rosa L. McDaniel, girl.
Peter A. and Ellen T. Meets, boy.
Harry E. and Rose P. Kandrick, boy.
Max and Birdie Kurad, boy.
Samuel A. and Augusta Jenkins, girl.
Francis A. and Angela Hurler, boy.
Sylvia R. and Mildred Horton, boy.
Joan W. and Beatrice Hart, boy.
William and Mamie Hall, boy.
Alfred and Edith Costello, girl.
Wladislaw A. and Letta Campbell, boy.
Charles and Carrie V. Colvin, girl.
James G. and Evelyn B. Bennett, boy.
COLORADO
Wm. G. and Lillian Williams, boy.
John and Jane Rose, girl.
George and Bettie Holmes, boy.
Wm. H. and Annie R. Green, girl.
Walter L. and Rachel A. Brown, boy.
John L. and Jennie Ashby, girl.

"For \$2 I will foretell your future."
"Are you a genuine soothsayer?"
"Then you ought to know that I haven't got \$2."—Kansas City Journal.

1,900 QUALIFY AS ELECTION VOTERS

Alexandrians Pay Capitation Taxes in Preparation for November Balloting.

NUMBER BREAKS RECORD

De Koven Quartet Will Give Concert. Delegates to Eastern Star Gathering Return Today.

THE HERALD BUREAU,
12 E. K Street, N. W.
625 King Street.

Alexandria, Va., May 5.—When the office of City Treasurer Thomas W. Robinson closed this afternoon nearly 1,900 persons had qualified to vote in the Presidential election November 7 by paying their capitation taxes. The time limit for the payment of such taxes expires tomorrow, and those who fail to pay by the closing of office hours tomorrow will be unable to participate in the election on November 7.

It is expected that Treasurer Robinson will keep his office open at night in order to accommodate those unable to pay during the day.

The foregoing number is an increase of about 100 over the primary last year, when a mayor was nominated. This is the largest number who ever qualified in a Presidential election here. In addition to voting for a President, those qualified will also vote for a Representative in Congress and a Senator.

This will be the first time the people have had an opportunity to vote for a United States Senator since the passage of the constitutional amendment providing for a direct vote for Senators.

The De Koven Quartet, of Baltimore, consisting of Sara Storm Crommer, soprano; Mabel R. Flaherty, alto; Samuel Schenck, tenor; Edgar R. Dubach, baritone, and Harry Patterson Hopkins, pianist, of Washington College, D. C., will give a concert in the Westminster Building, Monday, May 15, for the benefit of the fund of the Second Presbyterian Church.

The Alexandria delegates representing the Washington Chapter, No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star, who attended the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter, held in Norfolk, will return tomorrow. They are as follows: Mrs. F. W. W. Lathrop, worthy matron; Mrs. George Lathrop, associate matron; Miss Lucy Graves, past worthy matron; Miss Myrtle Graves, Mrs. Sophie Smith, and Henry K. Field, past worthy grand patron. Mr. Field returned home yesterday.

Arrangements have been made by Ballston Council, No. 221, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, of Alexandria County, for a picnic on Annapolis Public School, Fairfax County, Friday, May 12, at 3 p. m. Representatives from Alexandria and Fairfax counties will deliver addresses.

John H. Sutton died this afternoon at his home, 106 Wolfe street. Besides his wife he is survived by several children.

Funeral services for James Guiney were held today at St. Mary's Catholic Church and conducted by Rev. Louis Smet, pastor. Burial was made in St. Mary's Cemetery. The deceased died Wednesday at the hospital from a fractured skull. Efforts to trace his assistant have been without avail thus far. The police were also unable to locate any of his relatives.

Charles H. Zimmerman, has purchased from the heirs of the late John A. Marshall a lot in Market alley in the square bounded by King, Cameron, Royal and Fairfax streets.

Gov. Stuart has appointed Julian T. Burke a notary public.
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore H. Droste, Ashland, Va., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Keith Carlin—Mrs. Droste being a sister of Mrs. Carlin—have returned home.

The Johns Hopkins Alumni Association of Washington will hold its annual meeting in the form of a smoker at the Army and Navy Club on Thursday evening at 8:30. The principal speakers will be Secretary of War Baker, Prof. John H. Latane, head of the department of history, Johns Hopkins University, and Medical Director Henry G. Boyer, U. S. N.

The annual commemorative meeting of the Society for Philosophical Inquiry will be held in the auditorium of the Public Library this afternoon at 4:45. The meeting will be in honor of the late Rev. Frank Sewall, formerly pastor of the Church of the New Jerusalem. The speakers will be Rev. Paul Speer, Rev. J. McBride Sterrett, Prof. William M. Coleman, Dr. J. S. Lemon, Prof. Hyland C. Lirk and Kepler Hoyt.

President and Mrs. Wilson have been asked to attend, and these boxholders have been announced: Justice F. L. Siddons, of the District Supreme Court; William Bruce King, Collin Livingstone, Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley, Justice Wendell Phillips Stafford, of the District Supreme Court; G. A. Lyon, Jr., Cuno Rudolph, Rev. Dr. Abram Simon, and Mrs. John Joy Edson. The following have been patrons and patronesses of the pageant: Walter S. Ufford, William F. Gude, Justice Stafford, Mr. Rudolph, Dr. Simon, Mrs. Edson, Mrs. Robert M. La Follette, Mrs. Ellis Logan, Mrs. C. W. Richardson, Mrs. Joseph Daniels, and Mrs. A. S. Burleigh.

"CRIPPLE" ESCAPES GUARD.

Prisoner Apparently Helpless, Takes Leave, Eluding Orderly.
Was Harry Carter, colored, a paralytic? Was the District Police Court duped when it held a court day session Thursday in compassion for Carter, apparently unable to get to the second-floor courtroom?

Carter, at the session of the court in the yard of the judicial building, was sentenced to several months' imprisonment for false pretenses. He was, to all appearances, unable to reach the courtroom, so the court went to him in the yard of the building. He was placed on probation following conviction.

Carter yesterday expressed a desire to go to Annapolis, Md., where said money was due him. His orderly from the Washington Asylum Hospital accompanied him to the Maryland town. Then Carter escaped.

Herald Better Baby Essay Contest Ends This Evening

School Girl Competition Comes to Close at 6 o'Clock—But It Is Not Yet Too Late to Enter. Those Prizes Are Well Worth a Day's Effort.

Rules for The Washington Herald Better Baby Essay Contest.

1. Essays must be on the subject, "How to Care for Baby."
2. Essays must contain not more than 400 words.
3. Essays must be addressed, "The Washington Herald Better Baby Editor."
4. Essays must be received at The Washington Herald Building, 427 Eleventh street northwest, by 6 p. m. May 6.
5. Essays must be written on one side of the paper only, with the writer's name, age, address, school and grade legibly written.
6. Essays must be written only by girl pupils of the public graded and high schools.

The Washington Herald "better baby" essay contest closes at 6 o'clock this evening.

Even those public school girls who learn of the contest for the first time this morning are not too late to try for one of the beautiful prizes. You have no school today. The whole city is talking about baby week, which begins this afternoon. Why not show your interest in the movement to save babies by writing an essay?

The subject is "How to Care for Baby," and should deal with baby's food, dress, sleep or bath. If you are a high school girl you can write about this subject without aid for you have frequently helped mother mind little brother or sister. If you are a younger girl in the graded schools, ask mother to help you.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS TO CONVENE NEXT WEEK

26th Annual Gathering of District Epworth Members Will Open Tuesday Evening.

The twenty-sixth annual convention of the Washington District Epworth League will be held on the evenings of Monday and Tuesday of next week at Trinity M. E. Church, Fifth street and Seward square southeast.

There will be two business meetings, each beginning at 7 o'clock. Following the one on Tuesday there will be a mass meeting of the leaguers of the District at 8:15 o'clock, at which the principal address will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Harry Mitchell, of the Metropolitan M. E. Church, on the subject, "An Efficient Leaguer."

The principal feature of the meeting following the business session on Wednesday will be an address, "The Making of a Man," by Rev. Dr. Francis M. McCoy, dean of the faculty of the Mountain Lake Park Institute.

The music, under the charge of Charles Kinella, will be furnished by the Douglas Epworth League chorus of sixty

voices and the Foundry League's male quartet, Messrs. Lewis, Stuntz, Miner and Smelker.

The present District officers are: Robert D. Burbank, president; Ashby Jump, Andrew Gross, Miss Florence C. Day and W. Ralph Williamson, vice presidents; W. L. Orem, Jr., and C. Wendel Shoenemaker, secretaries; McKinley W. Krieger, treasurer; Ida J. Jure, Union League superintendent, and Charles K. Hoover, chairman of the civic committee.

Wilson Wants Action on Brandeis.

President Wilson is moving for action in the case of Louis D. Brandeis, nominated to be a justice of the Supreme Court, whose nomination is pending before the Judiciary Committee. The President may write a letter urging the Senate to act promptly on the nomination because of the importance of the causes pending before the Supreme Court which cannot be heard until there is a full bench. Action of the Brandeis case is expected at the meeting of the Judiciary Committee Monday.

Group Recruiting Reopened.

London, May 5.—The group system of recruiting, under the Derby scheme, was reopened today by the war office to give untested married and unmarried men a chance to enlist before general conscription goes into effect.

Y. M. C. A. BOYS GIVE BANQUET

Annual Spread of Junior Department of Association Is Staged.

PULLMAN ON PROGRAM

Work of Organization and Plans for Future Discussed by Speakers. Prizes Are Awarded.

The annual banquet of the Boys' Department of the Young Men's Christian Association was held in the gymnasium of the boys' building last evening. William E. Fowler, member of the boys' work committee of the association and chairman of the physical department committee of the boys' department, presided. Maj. Pullman made an address on "The Value of the Association to the Community." William Knowles Cooper, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association of Washington, told of the work of the association with the armies in Europe and Mexico. Short talks were made by the members of the newly elected boys' department cabinet. The cabinet will be composed this year of A. B. Cummins, president; Samuel Solomon, vice president, and William Church, secretary-treasurer. D. Hartshorn, chairman of the religious work committee, told of the plans for the religious work department, and Donald Wolf, of the work of the organization of Boy Scouts in the association.

Prizes which have been won in athletic and swimming contests during the year by the boys in the different departments of the association activities were presented by Mr. Fowler, assisted by Mr. Fuller, physical director. Medals were awarded to Flood for gymnastic competition, to Gill for swimming and to J. Hamilton for physical development.

First emblems were presented to Solomon, A. MacCartee and I. Johnson for athletics; to Fuchs, Solomon and McIver for swimming; and to J. Loehner and J. Johnson for efficiency tests. Second emblems were presented to V. Hartshorn and J. Goetz for athletics, and to De-monet for swimming. R. Altman and Howell won awards in this class for efficiency tests. Other prizes were awarded.

DEATH RECORD.

WHITE.
Agnes Kirkham, 50 years, Wash. Asylum Hosp.
John T. Welsh, 36, Gort. Hosp., Indiana.
James Trevis, 13, Home for Aged and Infirm.
Alfred Bell, 61, Gort. Hosp., Indiana.
Joseph M. O'Neil, 51, 1021 8th st. n.w.
Oliver Canoles, 16, 416 6th st. n.w.
Frank M. Hore, 73, 1418 11th st. n.w.
Philip Morris, 40, 10, S. Soldiers' Home, D. C.
Charlotte T. Storer, 30, 1611 D st. n.w.
Robert N. Spates, 68, Providence Hosp.
Rebecca E. Howard, 42, 36 14th st. n.w.

COLORADO.
George W. Peritt, sr., 70 years, 136 21st st. n.w.
Mary Harrison, 78, Home for Aged and Infirm.
Lucile Fier, 16, 162 Pierce st. n.w.
Robert Moody, 35, 1341 12th st. n.w.
Clarence Key, 3 months, 206 O st. n.w.

A meteorite weighing about twenty tons is reported to have fallen recently at Bezerras, in the state of Pernambuco, Brazil.

BABY WEEK WILL OPEN HERE TODAY

Infant Welfare Crusade to Be Ushered in with Rally of Workers This Afternoon.

PLAY TO BE PRESENTED

Sermons on Influence of Baby Life Will Be Preached Tomorrow From Many Pulpits.

Washington's baby week campaign opens at 4 o'clock this afternoon with a rally of all the infant welfare workers of the city at the central exhibit room, Fifteenth and F streets northwest. The public is invited.

Commissioner Louis Brownlow will launch the campaign with an address, followed by Health Officer William C. Woodward, Miss Julia C. Lathrop, head of the United States Children's Bureau, and Mrs. Court F. Wood, president of the District Federation of Women's Clubs.

From the moment the rally begins at 4 o'clock this afternoon until next Saturday night, May 13, all Washington will be at work spreading the gospel, "How to Care for Baby."

The second event will be the presentation of a play, "The Theft of Thistleloft," by the children of the Eckington School at the central exhibit building, Fifteenth and F streets northwest. Several prominent infant welfare workers probably will address this gathering also.

Sermons on Babies.
Tomorrow the campaign will be announced from practically every pulpit in the city, and more than a score of ministers have expressed their intention to dwell in their sermons upon the effect which baby care has upon a people.

Early Monday morning the large army of women and physicians who are devoting their time to making the campaign a success will be up bright and early to start the events of the day. There will be something going on every minute every day to bring the city to realize the value of babies. The central exhibit building, Fifteenth and F streets northwest, will be open every day and night. The building, which was elaborately fitted out several years ago by the Cafe Republic Company, has been converted into a place of immaculate nursery exhibits, sanitary milk bottles, bathtubs and a thousand other things needed in the care of babies. At the rally this afternoon the children of the Webster School, under direction of Miss Sophie B. Kent, will sing a ballad composed for baby week by Mary Mills West.

600 Auto Trucks Ordered.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 5.—A rush order for 600 five-ton auto trucks reached the office of an automobile company here today. The order came from the French government. The order involved about \$2,000,000.

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Values	
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Values	

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